

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of	:	Confirmation No.: 4637
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VALLANCE ET AL.	:	Group Art Unit: 3748
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Serial No.: 10/659,406	:	Examiner: Nguyen, Hoang M.
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Filed: September 10, 2003	:	
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For: LINEAR ACTUATOR USING SHAPE MEMORY WIRE WITH CONTROLLER	:	

AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

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Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

This Amendment and Request for Continued Examination (RCE) is presented in response to the Final Office Action dated March 26, 2008.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin thereafter on page 8.